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**AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.**  
LONDON:—F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E.C.  
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:—GORDON & GORCH, Melbourne and Sydney.  
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally:—WHITE & BAUER, San Francisco.  
CHINA:—Swatow, DROWN & Co. Amoy, GILES & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON & Co. Shanghai, BIRFIELD & KELLY. Manila, G. & Co. Cebu, G. & Co.

## Arrivals.

June 11, Calabar, British barque, 637, Taylor, Calcutta via Singapore, Feb. 18, and May 24, 200 bales Coffee and 480 tons Timber.—SHERAZER & Co.  
June 11, Falke, N. German brig, 280, Gotche, Hamburg, Feb. 5, General.—Wm. PEARCE & Co.  
June 11, Peter Rickmers, North German barque, 600, Meyer, Cardiff, Feb. 24, 500 tons Coal.—MELCHERS & Co.  
June 11, Stephanie, N. German barque, 320, Schulte, Cardiff, Jan. 11, 393 tons Coal.—MELCHERS & Co.  
June 11, Hermann, N. German ship, 689, W. Grave, Cardiff, Jan. 13, 840 tons Coal.—STERNBERG & Co.  
June 11, Asens, Dutch 3-masted schr., 300, S. Japan, Swatow, June 10, Ballast.—JOHN BIRD & Co.  
June 11, Koenig, Dutch barque, 273, M. Dias, Manila, June 10, General.—REYNOLDS & Co.  
June 11, Norma, N. Co. barque, 332, Pohl, Saigon, June 4, General.—STERNBERG & Co.  
June 11, Dryden, British barque, 424, McMillan, Saigon, May 29, 100 pounds Rice.—GILMAN & Co.  
June 11, St. George, British barque, 318, Peterson, Bangkok, May 26, General.—Chinese.  
June 12, Canavar, Siamese barque, 382, E. Thule, Bangkok, May 15, General.—Chinese.  
June 12, Magdalen, N. Germ. barque, 400, Poyson, Bangkok, May 26, 1,600 pounds Rice.—STERNBERG & Co.  
June 12, Gipsy, British barque, 200, Siemssen, Kampat, May 29, General.—BOHRAU, HENDERSON & Co.  
June 12, Koenig, Dutch barque, 493, Pitman, Foochow, June 9th, Amoy 10th, Swatow 11th, General.—DOUGLAS LAFAIR & Co.  
June 12, Handy, Siamese barque, 632, Hansen, Bangkok, May 26, General.—Chinese.

## Departures.

June 12, America, for Macao.  
12, Condar, for Macao.  
12, Carl Ritter, for Yokohama.  
12, Chin Chin, for Yokohama.

## Passengers.

ARRIVED.—Per Falke, from Hamburg, Messrs H. Petersen, Lunde, Spiering and 2 children.  
Per Koenig, Messrs Chambers, Pieling, Fynn, Captain Bryant, and Lieut. and Mrs. T. Wood, 3 European deck, and 70 Chinese.

## New Advertisements.

"ELZANG" FROM CARDIFF.  
NEITHER Capt. Brown or the Undersigned will be responsible for any Debts contracted by the Crew of the above named vessel except by a written order.  
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.  
Hongkong, June 12, 1869. jun26

FOR SHANGHAI.  
The steamer "FLYING SCUD," Captain FULHAM, will leave for the above port, on or about WEDNESDAY Next, the 10th Inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to GILMAN & Co. Hongkong, June 12, 1869.

NOTICE.  
"FARREJO," Capt. Kise, FROM LIVERPOOL.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.  
ROB. S. WALKER & Co.  
Hongkong, June 12, 1869.

WANTED.  
A CHIEF MATE for the Barque "Pereira."  
Apply to the Captain on Board, or to ROB. S. WALKER.  
Hongkong, June 12, 1869.

FOR SALE.  
BEST Cavite CIGARETTES and CIGARS. Manila CIGARS, Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.  
BIRFIELD & ZACHARIE.  
Hongkong, June 11, 1869. jun18

FOR SALE.  
DRAUGHT ALE & PORTER in Hhds. Apply to ROBERT S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

## New Advertisements.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second Share on the Shares in the Capital of the Corporation numbered from 20,001 to 40,000 inclusive, is payable on the 1st day of July next, at the Head Office and Branches of the Bank.  
Interest at the rate of twelve per centum per annum will be charged on the amount of all Calls unpaid, and the other Provisions of the 30th Article of the Deed of Settlement of the Corporation will also be enforced in respect of Shares upon which the Calls remain unpaid.  
By order of the Court of Directors, V. KRESSER, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

FOR SALE TO ARRIVE.  
Bales of Fresh Californian OAT HAY.  
RUSSELL & Co.  
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

THE Undersigned has established himself as a GENERAL AUCTIONEER and COMMISSION AGENT on the Ground-Floor of the Hongkong Hotel, under the style of GUEDES & Co.

J. M. GUEDES, Jr.

Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

To arrive per steamer "Alma" and For Sale, BERRY'S CENTRIFUGAL PUMP.  
To pump 300,000 gallons per hour with 18 inch Suction and Delivery. Price \$1,250.  
S. BERRY & Co.  
Hongkong, June 5, 1869.

MR. FRANKLIN & Co. interest and responsibility in the Firm of Messrs. MORRIS & Co. ceases from the 1st inst.

Hongkong, June 9, 1869. jun16

WANTED IMMEDIATELY.  
CAPTAIN and MATE for Barque "CENTRA."  
Apply to WAHSEE, SMITH & Co. Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

THE Barque CENTRA will take Cargo to Luneta to Manila at REDUCED Rate of Freight, to enable Shippers per this vessel to send their Goods at same advantage as per Spanish ship.

WAHSEE, SMITH & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1869.

EASTLACK AND WINN, Dental Surgeons.

HE Undersigned having RETURNED from Shanghai, can be consulted Professionally between the hours of 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. at his former Office, No. 1, Wyndham Street, back of the HONGKONG CLUB.

H. H. WINN, D.D.S. Hongkong, June 5, 1869. jun15

DR. VARNUM D. COLLINS, HOLDING a Diploma from the Philadelphia Dental College, resumes the practice of his profession at Hongkong. Patients visited at their residences, by addressing him, Hongkong Hotel.

Hongkong, June 7, 1869. ii

MISS GARRETT has received a large assortment of Gentlemen's and Boys' Straw HATS, Christy's Felt HATS, Ladies', Gentlemen's and Children's BOOTS and SHOES, Genfield STARCH and STONE BLUE.

Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

SAIL MAKING!!  
WILLIAM DOLAN having returned to Hongkong, has resumed his business of SAIL MAKING in all its branches, at his old place in Duddell Street, and solicits the patronage of the Public.

He has on hand a fine assortment of 8 and 10 ounce RAY'S DUCK suitable for Boat Sails or Awnings.

Hongkong, April 20, 1869.

MILK!! MILK!! MILK!!!  
LUM TUONG begs respectfully to thank the public for the liberal patronage they have extended to him for the last 15 years and to inform them that he has recently purchased several first class Cows (making in all 24) and made additions to his premises, so that he is enabled to supply genuine milk in larger quantities than heretofore at moderate prices.

36, SHIP STREET, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, May 21, 1869. jun21

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned returns thanks for past favors, and would remind the Gentlemen of Hongkong, that the Most Agreeable Health-inspiring treats obtainable, can be had at the HONGKONG HOTEL HAIR-DRESSING SALOON. Constant-moving PRESS and Shower of FROSTING OUCH, which render the Body Cool and Comfortable.

W. P. MOORE, Tonsorial Artist.

Hongkong, May 13, 1869. jun15

F. A. WHEELER, HAIR CUTTER & HAIR DRESSER, 26, Queen's Road, (Opposite LANE & CRAWFORD'S.) Hongkong, March 19, 1869. ii

## New Advertisements.

APOTHECARY WANTED.  
WANTED a qualified APOTHECARY for the Seamen's Hospital. For particulars, apply at the Hospital. Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

BONNETT & CO., MILLINERY AND DRAPERY ROOMS, QUEEN'S ROAD, HAVE RECEIVED BY LAST OVERLAND SHIPMENT.

LADIES' and Children's HATS Trimmed and Untrimmed, BONNETS, EMBROIDERY, SKIRTS, CRINOLINES, TRIMMINGS, and a variety of other GOODS.  
JET JEWELLERY.

Gentlemen's SCARVES, NECKTIES, HATS, BRACES, CRICKET BELTS, HAND-KERCHIEFS, French MERINO, PARAMATTA and ALPACCA COATING, DUCK and DRILL.

Travelling BAGS, STICKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., &c.

A general assortment of SADDLERY, always in Stock from the best London Makers.

Hongkong, June 8, 1869. jun23

PER OVERLAND MAIL.  
MISS ROSE has just received a choice assortment of Black and Colored SILKS, BAIREGE, Fancy and Muslin DRESSES.

RIBBONS, Velvets and Dress TRIMMINGS in great variety.

A large assortment of Ladies' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES.

WELLINGTON STREET, Opposite the Catholic Chapel.

Hongkong, June 4, 1869.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer Books of the Company will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 30th instant, both days included.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, June 7, 1869. jun30

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF LONDON.

NOTICE.

SHARE No. 119 has been placed in the hands of the Directors For Sale. Sealed TENDERS for purchase of same will be received until the 15th June 1869.

By order of the Board, ROBERT WATMORE, Secretary.

Hongkong, June 1, 1869. jun15

WANTED TO BUY 4 SHARES in the HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. State price and all particulars. Address "A," care of China Mail Office, Hongkong, April 25, 1869.

NAGASAKI PATENT SLIP.  
THIS SLIP is now available for docking Ships of 1,200 Tons or under, and all work connected therewith, as also in the SHIPWRIGHTS, JOINERS, BOAT-BUILDERS, SPAR-MAKERS, and general departments is under experienced European Superintendence. The SLIP has been most substantially constructed, in a perfectly land-locked and secure position, and has been pronounced by competent authority as equal to any existing works of the same kind.

Charge, for three days use of the Slip, One Dollar per ton, and all labour, material, &c., supplied on moderate terms. For further information, apply to GLOVER & Co., Managers.

Nagasaki, Japan, t-a-v my21-70

NOTICE.  
THE Undersigned request that all Accounts due them be paid on or before the 15th INSTANT, and all Claims against them sent in immediately.

THOS. HUNT & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1869. jun15

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.  
THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Rooms, on

MONDAY, the 14th inst., at 11 o'clock A.M.,—

A small Invoice of very fine Butter in tins.

An Invoice of Stationery, comprising: Note and Letter Paper, Overland Post, Envelopes, Pens and Pencilholders, Letter Copying Books, Account Books, etc.

75 cases superior Dinner Claret.

150 cases good Breakfast Claret.

100 cases Musketts.

30 doz. colored Finger Glasses.

200 doz. white Handkerchiefs.

250 doz. Men's and Children's Socks.

50 doz. white Cotton Undershirts.

50 doz. Bathing Drawers.

Also, Sundry French Stoves, including Triflex, Vegetables, Oil, Vinegar, etc.

The Australian Pony Half Caste. The white Arab Sarcot.

A wheel Dog Cart Phaeton, Harness, etc.

The Horses will be sold at 2 o'clock, and the Wines and Stores immediately afterwards.

Catalogues will be issued and the whole may be viewed on and after Thursday, the 24th inst.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

FESEFELD & Co., Auctioneers.

Hongkong, June 11, 1869. jun11

## Auctions.

### POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

THE SALE advertised to take place Yesterday at the Godowns of Messrs SMITH, ARCHER & Co., Wanchi, is POSTPONED to MONDAY, the 14th June, at 12 o'clock.

J. M. ARMSTRONG. Hongkong, June 11, 1869. jun14

### NIGHT SALE.

#### PUBLIC AUCTION.

GUEDES & Co. will sell by Public Auction, on

SATURDAY, the 12th day of June, 1869, at their Sales Room, Queen's Road Central, (ground floor of the HONGKONG HOTEL) at 8.30 P.M.,—

An Invoice of Plated Ware, consisting of Coffee and Tea Sets, Candlesticks, Toast Racks, Pickle and Liqueur Frames, Butter Dishes, Dessert Forks and Knives in Morocco cases, Dessert and Table Spoons and Forks, Coffee and Soup Spoons, Napkin Rings.

Joseph Rodger's Penknives and Razors.

An Invoice of Japan Ware, as Cabinets, Desks, Glove Boxes, Trays, Caskets, Brackets, large and small Vases, Etc., Etc.

A fine collection of Oil Painting, in gilt frames.

Blackwood's Carved Chairs and Marble-top Tables, embroidered Screens with carved Stands, Meerschaum Pipes and Cigar Holders, Albums, Stereoscopes, Slides, Table Covers and Rugs.

Gold Bracelets, Earrings, Seals, Keys, Gold and Silver Watches.

And, A splendid PIANO MECANIQUE, by De Bain, with Keyboard, in good order, to play mechanically or otherwise.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, June 10, 1869. jun14

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

#### DENT & CO'S ESTATE.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from the Trustees of DENT & Co's Estate, to sell by Public Auction, (if not previously disposed of by private contract), on

THURSDAY, 15th July, 1869, at 3 P.M., At the Office of the Trustees, 7, Pedder's Hill, Hongkong,—

The Property at FOOCHEW, known as DENT & Co's, consisting of:

DWELLING HOUSE, containing 8 Rooms and Bath Rooms, with Servants' Offices and Stables attached; the whole surrounded by a Garden. This House is at present let on a short Lease.

OFFICES and GODOWNS. A House containing 4 Offices and Spacious Tea Room, with fire-proof Godowns, large Treasury, and Commodore's Rooms below, Servants' Offices, &c., attached.

Three large Godowns, A, B, and C, as per plan, adjoining the above.

This property has water frontage, is situated in the most eligible portion of the business quarter of Foochow, and is let on a Repairing Lease for 5 years, commencing from the 1st May 1869, at the annual rental of \$4,500.

For further particulars, apply to FRANK PEREIRA, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, May 20, 1869. jun15

### HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at Noon, on

FRIDAY, the 25th instant, at No. 17, Queen's Road, the residence of the Honorable W. H. BENSIE,—

The whole of that Gentleman's English Made FURNITURE, comprising Drawing, Dining and Bed Room Suites, Crockery, Glass, Plated Ware, etc.

About 60 dozen Choice Wines, as Claret, Sherry, etc., and a few doz. Cognac Brandy.

Also, Sundry French Stoves, including Triflex, Vegetables, Oil, Vinegar, etc.

The Australian Pony Half Caste. The white Arab Sarcot.

A wheel Dog Cart Phaeton, Harness, etc.

The Horses will be sold at 2 o'clock, and the Wines and Stores immediately afterwards.

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TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

Hongkong, June 10, 1869. jun25

## Auctions.

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

#### JAPANESE WARE.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in their Sales Rooms, Queen's Road, on

### TUESDAY,

the 15th inst., at 1 past 2 o'clock.

A well selected Invoice of Japanese WARE, consisting of Bronze Bells, Vases, Candlesticks, etc., Carved Ivory, Charms, Shirt and Sleeve Studs, Cabinets, Screens, Tables, Fans, Embroidered Satins, Etc., Etc., Etc.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

All lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, June 10, 1869. jun15

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

### WEDNESDAY,

the 16th day of June, at 11 o'clock A.M., and every succeeding day until the whole is disposed of,—The entire STOCK-IN-TRADE of

Messrs Thos. Hunt & Co., Pedder's Wharf, comprising:—

Oilmen's Stores, Hardware, Cabbages, Fairbanks' Scales, Canvas, Rope, Rubber and Hemp Packing, Plated Ware, Crockery and Glass Ware, Lanterns, Etc., Etc.

Wines, Ale, Porter, Liqueurs, etc.

Office Furniture and Store Fixtures.

Cargo and House BOATS.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, June 5, 1869. jun16

### PUBLIC AUCTION.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Unpaid Capital of One Hundred Dollars per Share on the 20,000 New Shares of the Corporation's Stock will fall due on the dates following, viz:—

On 1st July, 1869, \$25

1st July, 1870, 25

1st Jan, 1872, 25

1st Jan, 1873, 25

\$100

Shareholders electing to pay the whole or any portion of the above Calls by anticipation will receive interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, payable half-yearly, until the respective dates at which the Calls shall fall due, and receipts for such payments will be issued at the Head Office and Branches.

By Order of the Court of Directors, VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager.

Hongkong, March 2, 1869.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Chairman.—GEO. F. HEARD, Esq.

Deputy Chairman.—JULIUS MAYER, Esq.

GEORGE A. HELLASH, Esq. J. B. TAYLOR, Esq.

A. JOUST, Esq. WILLIAM LEMANN, Esq.

J. P. DUNCANSON, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq.

RICHARD ROWETT, Esq. S. D. SASSON, Esq.





# NOTICE.

## COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MARITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES.

### PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANÇAIS.

#### STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES.

#### ALSO, BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

HE Company's Steamship "TIGRE," Commandant ROUSSEAU, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, on THURSDAY, the 17th June, at Noon.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for the 10th, Specie and Parcels until 5 p.m. for the 10th. (Parcels are not to be sent on board, they must be left at the Agents' Office.)

Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m. of the 10th, Specie and Parcels until 5 p.m. for the 10th. (Parcels are not to be sent on board, they must be left at the Agents' Office.)

For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's Office, HONGKONG. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

O. BERTHEAUME, Principal Agent.

Hongkong, May 28, 1886.

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# Post-Office Notifications.

For INDIA, EUROPE, &c.

Per La Compagnie des Services Maritimes des Messageries Impériales. "TIGRE," on Thursday, the 17th June, at 11 a.m. To and through the United Kingdom via Marseilles, to France and other Continental States (in a closed mail to France); to Saigon, Singapore, Galle, India, Aden, Seychelles, Reunion and Mauritius, Suez and Alexandria; after which no letter can be received. Letters for Registration will be received until 10 a.m. on the 17th June.

Correspondence intended to be forwarded by the vessels of the above company must be superscribed per Messageries Impériales Packet.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices, in the United Kingdom will be granted until 10 a.m. on the 17th June.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES MAIL PACKET "JAPAN."

For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, THE UNITED STATES & UNITED KINGDOM.

Per the United States Mail Packet "JAPAN," on SATURDAY, the 19th inst., at 2 p.m.

The Rates of Postage on Correspondence forwarded by this opportunity, which must in each case be paid in advance, are as follows, viz.:

For Yokohama, San Francisco and the United States.

For Letters, 8 cents per half-ounce.

For each Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 2 cents.

For a Packet of Books, 6 cents per 4 ounces.

For the United Kingdom.

For Letters, 24 cents per half-ounce.

For each Newspaper not exceeding 4 ounces, 4 cents.

For a Packet of Books or Patterns, 8 cents per 4 ounces.

Correspondence addressed to Yokohama, San Francisco and the United States must be superscribed per "Japan," and that addressed to the United Kingdom not fully prepaid will be sent via Suez.

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, June 7, 1886.

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place provided for the purpose.

If the Payee be unable to write he must sign the receipt by making his mark in the presence of a Witness, who must sign his name, with his address in the presence of the Officer who pays the Order.

9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order desire to receive payment in the Country in which the Order was issued, at some other Office than that in which the Order was originally drawn, the transfer will be granted, provided the Order be inclosed to the Postmaster of the Office in which it was drawn. In such case a new Order will be issued, the Commission chargeable upon which will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

10.—In the event of a Money Order mislaid or being lost, a duplicate will be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the Original Order was payable.

11.—On the receipt of a similar application, orders will be given to stop payment of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the last case will be deducted from the amount of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be presented with the application for a new Order.

12.—But when it is desired that any order in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of a Money Order should be repaid to the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn, application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have reference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Commission will be deducted from the amount of the new Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original, or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14.—Payment of an Order must be obtained before the end of the Sixth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn; for instance, if drawn in January, payment must be obtained before the end of July, otherwise the Order will become lapsed, and a new Order (for which a second Commission, to be deducted from the amount of the Order, will be charged) will become necessary.

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn, for instance, if drawn in January, and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.—No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received.

18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require.

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders are used by mercantile men, or others, either in the United Kingdom or at Hongkong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the transmission of large sums of money, the British or Colonial Post Office, as the case may be, will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise the power of wholly suspending for a time the issue of Money Orders.

By Command,

F. W. MITCHELL, Postmaster General.

General Post Office, Hongkong, 22nd August, 1886.

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WILLIAMS, Esq., possession immediate.  
Gas and Water laid on. Apply to  
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63, Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869. jun22

**NOTICE OF REMOVAL.**  
THE PRINTING OFFICE of the Under-  
signed has been REMOVED to the  
House No. 1, Hollywood Road, opposite  
the "Hotel d'Europe."  
**NORONHA & SONS.**  
Hongkong, June 1, 1869. july1

**TO LET.**  
6 HOUSES in Seymour Terrace No. 2, 6,  
9, 10, 11 and 12, each containing 4  
ROOMS with out-houses attached. Water  
and Gas laid.  
Apply to  
**DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 2, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
ONE ROOM, furnished or unfurnished,  
situated on a First Story, Wyndham  
Street, near to the American Consulate,  
having a Verandah and all the view of the  
Harbour.  
Apply to "A. X." care of the Office of  
this paper.  
Hongkong, May 12, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
THREE HOUSES on Peddar's Hill, each  
containing Four Rooms, with Out-  
houses attached. Water and Gas laid.  
Apply to  
**H. PESTONJEE SETNA,**  
At a Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s.  
Hongkong, June 1, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
(With immediate possession.)  
SEVERAL Strong New GODOWNS, very  
conveniently situated on Marine Lot  
No. 69, between Messrs JONAS BOND & Co.'s  
premises and Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s  
premises, at the Wharf.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**A. McLEOD,**  
At Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.'s  
Hongkong, April 26, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
With Immediate Possession,  
TWO Commodious Two-Storeyed Granite  
GODOWNS, at Wanchi, (adjoining the  
Union Dock Company's Timber Yard)  
on which property, also, STORAGE can be  
had at moderate terms.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 26, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
Desirable CONVENIENT GODOWN at Wan-  
chi, convenient to the Water.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**OLYPHANT & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
NO. 3 Peelhill Terrace, with immediate  
Possession. Apply to  
**LANE, GRAYFORD & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
ONE FLOOR of a house in Queen's  
Road, well situated.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 23, 1869.

**WITH immediate possession.** That de-  
sirable BUNGALOW, situated at  
Pekfoolum, and known as "BELMONT."  
Apply to  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 27, 1869.

**CLUB CHAMBERS, D'AGUILAR  
STREET.**  
A FEW Seats of these desirable CHAM-  
BERS are now vacant, and can be had  
on reasonable terms. Apply to  
**DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 5, 1869.

**TO LET.**  
THE Corner HOUSE, No. 13 in Peel  
Street, containing five Rooms with  
Commodious Room and Godown attached.  
Water and Gas laid.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**H. PESTONJEE SETNA.**  
At Messrs P. & C. CAMARAJ & Co's  
Office, Queen's Road.  
Hongkong, January 18, 1869. tf

**TO LET.**  
WITH immediate possession, the House  
and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street,  
lately occupied by Messrs A. WILKINSON  
& Co.  
Apply to  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

**TO LET.**  
A CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE  
in Chancery Lane. Rent moderate.  
Apply to  
**ARNHOLD KARBURG & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 6, 1868. tf

**Houses and Lands.**  
**TWO HOUSES TO BE LET.**  
RECENTLY put in thorough Repair, sit-  
uated on the Risk of THE HILL,  
Westward, and an easy distance from the  
Queen's Road. Apply to  
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Wyndham Street.  
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**TO LET.**  
HE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's  
Road, lately in the occupation of the  
Asiatic Bank.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**SMITH, ARCHER & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

**LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE.**  
HE Undersigned will undertake to land  
Cotton, Rice, Opals, and other Mer-  
chandise, in their own Boats, and to receive  
the same on STORAGE in First-class Gran-  
ite godowns, on Moderate Terms.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

**Docks.**  
**NOTICE.**  
THE DIRECTORS OF THE HONG-  
KONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COM-  
PANY LIMITED, beg to call the attention  
of Shareholders who have not paid the  
CALLS due on their Shares, to the follow-  
ing Clauses in the Articles of Association.  
Clause 158.—After seven days' non-pay-  
ment of a call in respect of any Share,  
notice of the call shall be repeated, and  
after seven days, further non-payment there-  
of, the Board may sue the defaulting Share-  
holder for the amount unpaid, with not  
exceeding Twelve Dollars per cent. per  
annum interest thereon, from the day ap-  
pointed for payment thereof.  
Clause 157.—After Forty-two days' non-  
payment of a call in respect of any Share,  
the Board, with the sanction of a General  
Meeting, may declare the Share forfeited  
for the benefit of the Company.  
By order of the Board,  
**G. N. MINTO,**  
Secretary.  
Hongkong, May 15, 1869. jun15

**THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF  
HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED**  
HE Company call the attention of Ship  
Owners, Consignees and Masters of  
Vessels, to their Establishment at Hong-  
kong and Whampoa, for the DOCKING  
and REPAIRING of Vessels of all classes.  
At Hongkong the Company have the  
only Dock in the harbour—a Granite  
Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to  
admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and  
drawing 22 feet of water.  
Attached to it there are Shipwrights,  
Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery  
works, and everything necessary for the  
Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers.  
The Company have also opened a Ship-  
yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock,  
and are ready to contract for the construction  
of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any  
size.  
At Whampoa the Company will take  
Ships at reduced rates.  
The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"  
can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or  
berth them, at reasonable rates.  
For Particulars, apply to  
**ROB. S. WALKER,**  
Secretary.  
Company's Office, Queen's Road, Corner  
of Ice House Lane,  
Hongkong, April 8, 1869.

**Insurances.**  
**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
(FIRE AND LIFE.)  
CAPITAL.—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.  
HE Undersigned are prepared to grant  
POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on  
Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on  
Coals in Matchboxes, on Goods on board  
Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-  
bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.  
Proposals for Life Insurances will be re-  
ceived, and transmitted to the Directors  
for their decision.  
If required, protection will be granted on  
first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single  
Life.  
For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-  
posals or any other information apply to  
**ARNHOLD KARBURG & Co.**  
Agents Hongkong & Canton.  
Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

**LANCASHIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
Rates will be charged on short period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not ex-  
ceeding three months, 1/2 " "  
Above 3 months and not ex-  
ceeding six months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.  
**ARNHOLD KARBURG & Co.**  
Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 14, 1868.

**LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents in Hongkong for the above  
Company, are prepared to grant Marine  
Risks at current rates.  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

**Insurances.**  
**JOEAN MARINE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
LONDON.  
Incorporated 1869.  
CAPITAL.—£1,000,000.  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company are pre-  
pared to accept Marine risks and issue  
Policies at current rates.  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 6, 1867.

**ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
ESTABLISHED 1838.  
CAPITAL, £500,000.  
Managing Agents in China, Messrs.  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.,** Hongkong,  
Medical Referee, J. IVOR MURRAY,  
Esq., M.D.  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Managing Agents for the above Com-  
pany are prepared to accept risks and issue  
Policies on Life Assurances.  
For further particulars, forms of propo-  
sals, &c., apply to  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Managing Agents in China.  
Hongkong, June 1, 1867.

**PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
**LIVERPOOL AND LONDON & GLOBE  
INSURANCE COMPANIES.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents of the above Companies at this  
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against  
Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings,  
or on Goods stored therein.  
**DOUGLAS LAFRAIK & Co.**  
Hongkong, September 23, 1868.

**NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co.**  
HE Undersigned, having been appointed  
AGENTS for the above Company at the  
Ports of TAMSUI and KEELUNG, are pre-  
pared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-  
ANCE at current rates.  
**DODD & Co.**  
Tamsui, 10th August, 1868. tf

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at this  
Port, are prepared to grant Policies against  
Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings,  
or on Goods stored therein.  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 24, 1864. tf

**NOTICE.**  
**IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
Rates will be charged for Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 of the annual rate  
Above 1 month and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.  
Above 6 months, The full annual rate.  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,**  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
UNTIL further notice the following An-  
nual Rates will be charged for Fire  
Insurances, viz:—  
Detached and Semi-detached  
Dwelling Houses removed  
from the Town, and their  
Contents, 1/4 per cent.  
Other Dwelling Houses used  
strictly as such, and their  
Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.  
and their Contents, 1 per cent.  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,**  
Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance  
Company.  
Hongkong, March 6, 1866.

**BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY  
AND  
FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS  
INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Companies are  
prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms.  
**GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM.  
Detached and semi-detached  
Dwelling-Houses removed  
from Town, and their Con-  
tents, 1/4 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses used  
strictly as such, and their  
Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c.  
and their Contents, 1 per cent.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Agents North British and Mercantile  
Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

**NOTICE.**  
**NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
Rates will be charged in Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the annual rate.  
Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months, 1/2 " "  
Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6 months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, The full Annual rate.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Agents, North British and Mercantile  
Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**Insurances.**  
**NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE  
INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
Incorporated by Royal Charter and  
Special Act of Parliament.  
ESTABLISHED 1809.  
CAPITAL, £2,000,000  
ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927.  
ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.  
HE Undersigned AGENTS at Hongkong  
for the above Company are prepared  
to grant Policies against FIRE, to the  
extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on  
Merchandise in the same.  
**GILMAN & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY OF MANCHESTER  
AND LONDON.**  
HE Undersigned have been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at  
Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai  
and Hankow, and are prepared to grant  
Insurances at current rates.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868. tf

**NOTICE.**  
**MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
THE following Rates will be charged in  
future for short period Insurances,  
viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 per cent.  
Above 1 month and not  
exceeding 3 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and not  
exceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.  
Above 6 months, The full annual rate.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, April 8, 1868.

**LONDON  
ASSURANCE CORPORATION.**  
LIFE ASSURANCE.  
HE Undersigned are authorised to issue  
Life Policies for sums not exceeding  
£5,000.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 14, 1868. tf

**THE LONDON ASSURANCE  
CORPORATION.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents of the above Corporation are  
prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur-  
ance on the usual terms.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, December 26, 1867.

**LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-  
RATION.**  
THE following rates will in future be  
charged for Short Period Insurances:  
One month, 1/4 per cent.  
Three months, 1/2 " "  
Six months, 3/4 " "  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
**NOTICE.**  
FROM and after this date the following  
rates will be charged for Short Period  
Insurances, viz:—  
Not exceeding one month, 1/4 of the Annual Rate.  
Above 1 month and not ex-  
ceeding three months, 1/2 " "  
Above 3 months and not ex-  
ceeding six months, 3/4 " "  
Above 6 months, The full Annual Rate.  
**JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,**  
Agents, Alliance Fire Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**THE QUEEN INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
CAPITAL.—TWO MILLION STERLING.  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Company at this  
port, are prepared to grant Policies against  
Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings  
or on Goods stored therein.  
**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
**BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE  
INSURANCE COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above Insurance Com-  
pany are prepared to grant Policies cov-  
ering Marine risks at the current Rates.  
Policies can be made payable at all the  
principal ports throughout the World.  
**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, November 7, 1867.

**NOTICE.**  
**THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE following Rates will be charged in  
future for short period Insurances,  
viz:—  
Not exceeding 1 month, 1/4 of the annual rate.  
Above 1 month and not  
exceeding 3 months, 1/2 do.  
Above 3 months and not  
exceeding 6 months, 3/4 do.  
Above 6 months, The full annual rate.  
**MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,**  
Agents the Queen Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

**Insurances.**  
**AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents for the above INSURANCE  
OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine  
Risks, and issue Policies on any first class  
Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual  
terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA,  
SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

**NOTICE.**  
**ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.**  
THE following Rates will be charged in  
future for short period Insurances,  
viz:—  
Not exceeding One  
Month, 1/4 per cent.  
Above One Month  
and not exceeding  
Three Months, 1/2 per cent.  
Above Three Months  
and not exceeding  
Six Months, 3/4 per cent.  
Above Six Months, The full Annual Rate  
of 1 per cent.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,**  
Agents Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

**NOTICE.**  
HE Undersigned having received extend-  
ed limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-  
ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to  
issue Policies against FIRE as follows, viz:  
On any one first-class Building, or on  
Goods stored therein—in Hongkong,  
£60,000; in Macao \$45,000.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,**  
Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.  
Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

**REDUCTION  
IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR  
FIRE INSURANCE.**  
HE Undersigned have (as already intimated  
in their Circular dated 14th Oc-  
tober last) received authority from the Se-  
cretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE  
COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium  
under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE  
RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and ER-  
ECTS, therein contained.  
In cases of DWELLING-HOUSES removed  
from the Town, the rate of Premium will  
be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One  
per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged; and  
in cases of Residences, so situated, being  
detached or semi-detached, the rate will  
be further reduced to One-half per Cent.  
The Royal's Annual Rates for FIRE In-  
surance on the various classes of Buildings  
and their contents will therefore remain as  
follows, until further notice, viz:—  
Detached and semi-detached  
Dwelling-Houses (removed  
from the Town) and their  
Contents, 1/4 per cent.  
Other Dwelling-Houses (simi-  
larly situated) and their  
Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
First Class China-Houses and  
their Contents, 1/2 per cent.  
Other Risks as per special arrangement.  
**ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,**  
Agents Royal Insurance Company.  
Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

**PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
SAN FRANCISCO.**  
THE Undersigned, Agents for the above  
Company are prepared to grant Pol-  
icies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and  
GOODS, at current rates.  
**RUSSELL & Co.**  
Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

**BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE  
COMPANY.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents in Hongkong for the above  
named COMPANY are prepared to grant Pol-  
icies against SEA RISKS, at current rates.  
**RUSSELL & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 1, 1866.

**YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-  
TION OF SHANGHAI.**  
POLICIES granted on Marine risks to  
all parts of the world at current rates.  
In addition to the usual brokerage, this  
Association returns to the assured Fifteen  
per cent of its yearly profits divided pro  
rata to the net premium contributed.  
**RUSSELL & Co.**  
Secretaries.  
Hongkong, June 4, 1869. tf

**PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY  
OF SAN FRANCISCO.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents in China for the above INSUR-  
ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Pol-  
icy covering Marine Risks, at the current  
rates.  
**RUSSELL & Co.**  
Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

**SAMARANG SEA AND  
FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF  
SAMARANG.**  
HE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents in Macao for the above named  
Company are prepared to grant Policies  
covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.  
**RAYNAL & Co.**  
Macao, August 4, 1866.

**DE OOSTERLING  
SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-  
PANY OF BATAVIA.**  
THE Undersigned having been appointed  
Agents in Hongkong for the above  
named Companies are prepared to grant  
Policies against Sea Risks on the usual  
terms.  
**SIEMSEN & Co.**  
Hongkong, August 1, 1866.



## Shipping.

**FOR MANILA.**  
The barque "CINTRA,"  
will have quick despatch.  
For Freight or Passage, apply  
to  
**WAHEM, SMITH & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

**FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.**  
The North German barque  
"MATADOR,"  
7500 picul capacity.  
Apply to  
**MORGAN LAMBERT & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 2, 1869.

**FOR SINGAPORE.**  
The First-class French brig  
"EMMA,"  
Capt. Ellis, will have quick des-  
patch for this above port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**FREDERICK DUGENIER.**  
Hongkong, May 26, 1869.

**FOR MANILA.**  
The Spanish barque  
"SANTA ANA,"  
Capt. GAVRO, Master, will meet with  
quick despatch as above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**REMEDIOS & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 24, 1869.

**FOR NEW YORK.**  
The American barque  
"A. W. STEVENS,"  
will load here and Whampoa  
for New York and have des-  
patch.  
For Freight, apply to  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
The American ship  
"MALAY,"  
will have quick despatch for the  
above port.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 7, 1869.

## Notices to Consignees.

**"SAMUEL RUSSELL" FROM**  
NEW YORK.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
named vessel are requested to send  
in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge, will be  
landed and stored at Consignees' risk and  
expense.  
**SMITH, ARCHER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

**"ST. GERMAINE" FROM LONDON.**  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
named vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the vessel's discharge  
will be landed and stored at Consignees'  
risk and expense.  
**LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

**PER "OHUMAN" FROM LONDON.**  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by above-named  
vessel are requested to send in their  
Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for  
countersignature, and to take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-  
sel will be landed and stored at consignees'  
risk and expense.  
**HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 11, 1869.

**SWEDISH BARQUE "ELLIDA" FROM**  
LONDON.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
vessel are hereby requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature and to take immediate  
delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge will be  
landed and stored at Consignees' risk and  
expense.  
**BOURFAU, HUBNER & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

**"COLUMBUS" FROM GLASGOW.**  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
named vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and to take im-  
mediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-  
signees' risk and expense.  
**ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.**  
Hongkong, June 8, 1869.

**P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steamer "JAPAN"**  
FROM YOKOHAMA AND SAN  
FRANCISCO.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
named Vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and to take im-  
mediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-  
sel will be landed and stored at Consignees'  
risk and expense.  
**GEO. E. LANE,**  
Agent.  
Hongkong, June 7, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Company's  
Steam-ship "Tiger," are request-  
ed to send in their Bills of Lading, for  
countersignature, and to take delivery of  
their Goods before the 1st of June, or they  
will be landed and stored at their risk and  
expense.  
**C. BERTRAND,**  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, May 27, 1869.

**OCEAN QUEEN, STEAMER, FROM**  
GLASGOW.  
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-  
named Vessel are requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for countersignature, and to take im-  
mediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
above steamer, will be landed and stored at  
Consignees' risk and expense.  
**ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 10, 1869.

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Consignees' risk and expense.  
**ARNHOLD, KARBURG & Co.,**  
Agents.  
Hongkong, May 10, 1869.

## Notices to Consignees.

**NOTICE.**  
THE following cases have been landed  
and stored at the risk and expense of the  
Consignees, who are requested to take  
immediate delivery.  
"Cambridge," 2d February, 1869.  
GEO. BERTRAND,  
Principal Agent.  
Hongkong, June 1, 1869.

## Notices of Firms.

**THE Business of KINNEAR & Co., Foo-  
chow, will be carried on from this  
date under the style and firm of  
KINNEAR, LARKEN & Co.,  
the partners therein being, Mr. WILLIAM  
BALFOUR KINNEAR and Mr. THOMAS LAN-  
CASTER LARKEN.  
WILLIAM BALFOUR KINNEAR,  
Foochow, May 1, 1869.**

## HONGKONG HOTEL.

**FROM this date the Management of the  
Hongkong Hotel is placed in charge  
of Mr. GEORGE E. PORTER, to whom all com-  
munications should be addressed.  
YEE-WO & Co.  
Hongkong Hotel,  
April 1, 1869.**

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE this day established myself as a  
PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVAILABLE AD-  
JUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT.  
**C. LANGDON DAVIS.**  
Hongkong, May 1, 1869.

**FROM this date Mr. GEORGE E. LANE,  
will act as Agent of the Pacific Mail  
Steam-ship Company at this port.  
GEO. F. BOWMAN,  
Hongkong, March 15, 1869.**

**NOTICE.**  
I HAVE established myself at Kobe, and  
Osaka, as COMMISSION MERCHANT and  
GENERAL AGENT.  
**HENRY LUCAS.**  
Hongkong, April 16, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
WE have this day admitted Mr. BENJA-  
MIN E. GALL, as a partner in our  
Firm.  
**PAWETT & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
WE have authorized Mr. CLAUDE BUDDZ  
to sign our Firm from this date.  
**DREYER & Co.**  
Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. D. O. CLARK retiring from our Firm,  
and Mr. J. MORLEY FORBES and  
Mr. E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners  
from this date.  
**RUSSELL & Co.**  
China, January 1, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
MR. JOHN FAIRBAIN and Mr. JOHN  
SAMUEL COX, will sign our firm per  
procuration from this date.  
**LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.**  
Hongkong, April 15, 1869.

**NOTICE.**  
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.  
WILLIAM NIXON in our Firm ceased  
on the 30th June last.  
Mr. THOMAS FINE, Mr. WILLIAM NIXON  
OLMISTED and Mr. H. SEYMOUR GRAY are  
authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong  
and China from this date.  
**OLYPHANT & Co.**  
Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

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Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

## For Sale.

**HAMS, CHEESE, AND OILMAN'S**  
STORES, &c.  
By "Douglas Castle."  
MACLEWEN & Co. have just landed  
from the above vessel—  
A choice invoice of Pale and Smoked  
York HAMS, Prime Cheddar CHEESE, in  
time, and Breakfast BACON, in time.  
Also, Croase and Blackwell's mixed  
PICKLES, Cap. White's Oriental PICKLES,  
and a general assortment of the finest OIL-  
MAN'S STORES for family use.  
13, Queen's Road,  
Hongkong, May 20, 1869.

**EX PALCOON AND ZIBA.**  
NEW GOODS FOR THE SEASON.  
LONGOLOT SHIRTS with Linen  
Fronts, Gauze, Marine and Silk  
UNDERSHIRTS, Linen and Paper COL-  
LARS, White, Brown and Striped Thread  
and Cotton SOCKS, NECKTIES and  
SCARVES, Cambrie HANDKERCHIEFS,  
Straw HATS, Ellwood's HELMETS, Sang-  
ster's UMBRELLAS, Maasala VESTS,  
Frower DUCK and DRILL, ALPACA,  
French MERINO and PARAMATTAS,  
Ladies' and Children's Trimmed and  
Untrimmed HATS, White and Fancy Mus-  
lin and other DRESSES, Printed French  
CAMBRICS, Silk, Lisle Thread and Cotton  
HOSIERY, Silk GLOVES, Trimmed  
BODICES, Cambrie EDGINGS, RIB-  
BONS, LACES, VELVETS, HABER-  
DASHERY, &c.  
Window CURTAINS, Mosquito NETS,  
SHEETINGS and COUNTERPANES,  
Both and Towels, Towels, Antimessars  
and Toilet COVERS, Damask Table  
LINEN, Gauze and other FLANNELS,  
Longcloth and Irish LINENS, STATIO-  
NERY of all kinds, PERFUMERY,  
BRUSHES, SOAPS, SPONGES, Chil-  
dren's PERAMBULATORS, &c., &c.  
S. W. BAKER & Co.  
Hongkong, April 10, 1869.

**FEW SUPERIOR RIFLES** adapted for  
prize shooting, both breech and muz-  
zle loaders, regulation bore.  
**LANDSTEIN & Co.**  
Hongkong, May 3, 1869.

**FOR SALE.**  
Just landed on M. L. Str. "Imperatrice."  
CLARETS: Chateau, Lafite, Larose,  
Palmer, also,  
St. George, St. Julien,  
Margaux, St. Emilion.  
WHITE WINES: Haut Sauternes, Cha-  
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## New Advertisements.

**STAG HOTEL.**  
CASH ACCOUNT from 1st May 1867 to  
30th April 1869.  
Dr. 1867, May, To Sundries, \$1,283.85  
June, Do, 1,539.50  
July, Do, 1,205.55  
August, Do, 1,970.39  
Sept., Do, 2,276.88  
October, Do, 2,320.06  
Nov., Do, 2,422.95  
Dec., Do, 2,241.81  
1868, Jan., Do, 2,956.68  
Feb., Do, 3,822.57  
March, Do, 2,203.90  
April, Do, 2,962.86  
May, Do, 2,657.10  
June, Do, 2,068.65  
July, Do, 2,358.88  
August, Do, 2,696.00  
Sept., Do, 2,445.51  
October, Do, 2,436.13  
Nov., Do, 2,332.23  
Dec., Do, 1,769.13  
1869, Jan., Do, 2,186.20  
Feb., Do, 2,404.96  
March, Do, 1,875.32  
April, Do, 3,791.69  
TOTAL, \$58,061.64

1867, June 29th—By cash paid to  
T. Howard, Esq., for arrange-  
ment of the purchase of "Stag  
Hotel," 2% \$16,500, \$439.00  
By cash paid T. Howard, in-  
terest, \$2,166.84  
By cash paid for Furniture for  
"Stag Hotel," 415.00  
By cash paid for Stores for "Stag  
Hotel," 8,452.97  
30th April, 1869—By cash paid  
for Stores for "Stag Hotel," 377.34  
By cash paid T. Howard, pur-  
chase money, \$5



## ST SHIPPING.

DEPARTURES.  
Shanghai, for Amoy & Manila.

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## QUOTATIONS.

HONGKONG, 12th June, 1869.

OPPIUM.—Patna, New, 560 1/2.

Old, 560.

Benzene, New, 555.

Old, 545, nom.

Molva, 640, weak.

Perian, 565, nom.

COTTON.—Bombay, 17 1/2 a 21.

Calcutta, 17 1/2 a 21.

Shanghai, 17 1/2 a 21.

Exchange.

Bank, 6 months' sight, 4 7/8.

Credit, 6, 4 1/8.

On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Re. 231 a 232.

Bombay, 3 days' sight, Re. 231 a 232.

Shanghai, 3 days' sight, Bank, 7 1/2.

Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 5, nom.

Sycee, 2 7/8 a 3 2/8.

Mexican, 23.

Gold Leaf, 22 1/2.

Gold Bar, 98 to 100, 22 1/2 a 22 1/2.

English Sovereigns, 4 1/2.

Australian Sovereigns, 4 1/2.

Discount, 10 a 12.

Gas Company Shares, 40 a 42.

H. & W. P. Dock, Old, 10 p. c. discount.

Do. Do. New, 10 p. c.

H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 36 a 36 1/2 p. c. p. Do. New, 15 1/2.

Union Dock, 50 a 55 p. c. discount, nom.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 1869.

THE matter of the Sowkewat invasion, in which Constable Mahoney lost his life and two Sikh Policemen were wounded, is now apparently consigned to the limbo of forgotten things. On Thursday last the men who have been remanded so often on suspicion of being concerned in the affair were discharged on their own recognizances, the "circumstances" under which they were arrested, though affording grounds of suspicion, not being capable of development into actual evidence of complicity. The fact therefore remains that, in spite of the enormous cost of our police force, and notwithstanding the vaunted improvement in the constabulary for which the present Government claim credit, it is possible for a small army of 50 or 60 Chinese desperadoes to make a descent on the island in the immediate vicinity of a police station, commit murder, and escape without detection. We admit the arguments that are urged with ingenious fitness of time as to the difficulties of governing such a population as that of Hongkong, but surely it will be a cause of wonder to the most ardent admirer of the present administration that justice should have proved impotent in such a case as this. The failure conclusively shows the hollowness of one of His Excellency's chief arguments in support of the gambling licenses. He said that by their means he should be able to obtain information of whatever might be going on among the native population inimical to the public peace; yet here we have an armed incursion on the island that must have been planned, and the police are unable to discover any of the scoundrels who joined in it, though murder was committed by them. Is there to be a similar failure in the case of the Holworthy murder? Has the deceased gentleman's watch really been found? It is understood that the persons committed on suspicion of being concerned in the murder are to be arraigned next Sessions, nearly five months after the crime was perpetrated. Justice is slow in this case; let us hope that it will be proverbially sure, or the Chinese will imagine, with some show of reason, that they may rob and murder in Hongkong with a very near approach to impunity.

If the decision given by Mr. Russell in the case of a Chinese female, Dale, is sustainable in law as against fact, there will soon be a series of new decisions in the police court. The defendant admitted that he gave the woman "several smart smacks in the face with his open hand," and it appeared from the evidence that he did this when "she flew at him like a fiend," because he pulled "out of bed by the leg" a man whom he found lying by her side, and which man he also "slapped considerably." This Mr. Dale admitted, but the Magistrate dismissed the summons because, so his worship said, "it was evident the defendant had struck the woman upon great provocation." But the only provocation alleged before the Magistrate was that "a large number of defendants' bowers had been eaten away," that he went for the man, who was a watchman on the premises, Morrison Hill, to explain this mystery, and the watchman refusing to come up to time, he went and pulled the watchman out of bed, and the other circumstances happened as already described.

Now we do not know what importance Mr. Russell would attach to being "pulled out of bed" unceremoniously, but if the act were to be resented by his female companion, would he consider that to be a provocation justifying "several smart smacks on her face?" Also, would he quietly submit to be "slapped considerably" under such circumstances? It is not proper, perhaps, to apply this line of argument to the worthy magistrate, but we put it to him was not the original provocation really on the other side? Suppose a man's flowers are eaten, is he to ruthlessly invade the sanctities of domestic life and pull a man by a leg from a bed? Is it any wonder that the woman flew at Mr. Dale "like a fiend?" Breathes there a gyn with soul so dead, that to herself would not have said, under like conditions, "I'll claw you!"

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and who would condemn her—except Mr. Russell? The matter is not perhaps, of very much importance, and we think that the smallest fine imposed on defendant would have satisfied justice, but the judgment of his worship seems to have been given on the assumption that the original sin lay with the woman, and that Mr. Dale was justified in his intrusion on the man's privacy. Upon the defendant's own admission he was liable to a fine, and the charge against him was not, as a manipulated report says, "entirely without foundation."

LOCAL.

THE unusual length of our shipping reports necessitates the exclusion of other matter.

A TELEGRAM from the West Indies, given in the London papers of April 13, states that at Demerara the farmers were inflicting barbarous and murderous punishments on the Chinese coolies for plantation stealing.

We hear it is likely that the American flag-ship *Pascagoula* will sail with summer on the Amoor River, and it is also stated that the *Maumee* and *Troquois* will be down here again shortly. The *Unadilla* is apparently a fixture at Hongkong.

It appears that the gusty weather has not passed over without some accident. One of the passenger-boats plying between this port and Kowloon city was, we hear, caught in a heavy rain, and upset, just opposite the Union Dock. The mishap, having been noticed by the employees at the Dock, Messrs. Anderson and Doherty sallied forth to render assistance. Thirty Chinese were rescued from the disabled craft, but whether any were drowned we are unable to say. One interesting feature connected with this incident was the salvage of three of the Chinese by a large English spaniel belonging to Mr. Doherty; and it is said that the "punk" with which the persons saved at last received the kindly attentions of the dog was most amusing. Both men and spaniel appeared to have behaved most creditably in this affair.

We understood that the Postmaster General is about making a tour through the Northern ports and Japan, on business thoughts intent. During Mr. Mitchell's absence, the Post Office will be under the charge of Mr. Balfour, who is assisted by Mr. D. T. Barradine, a gentleman whose connection with our postal service is of many years' standing.

We learn, by the arrival of the steamer *Kwantung*, that the *Tes* Market had not opened on the 9th, the date of her departure. This would seem to imply that the salutary caution displayed this season by foreign merchants in their treaty transactions at the other ports has extended to the great Fokien district. In the face of previous losses, this is not surprising, although sensible people (notably the compilers of trade circulars in London) had given the Chinese merchants over for lost. Most of the crack tea-clippers had left Foochow by the end of May or beginning of June of last year. The last is said to be far below the average in quality, and the stock on the market is reported to be not so heavy as it was immediately preceding the opening of the market last season.

It is said that the P. M. S. Co.'s new steamer *America* will arrive here some time in September, via the Cape. Her enterprising owners have undertaken a somewhat novel and ambitious trip from the port of her departure, viz., nothing more nor less than a tour round the world. The steamer would leave (or may have left) New York about this time, for Hongkong, calling at Rio and all the intermediate ports on the Cape route, arranging so as to arrive here at the proper time for the regular mail leaving in September. Nearly one hundred and fifty passengers had engaged at the time, and many more were expected, a passage, as room had to be left for the passengers by the September outgoing mail; and as the passage-ticket carries them through to Japan and across to San Francisco (with the choice of taking the Pacific Railway route home or that by Panama), the adventurous New Yorkers have an opportunity of "doing" the greater part of the world by the time they reach home.

Touching P. M. S. S. matters, it is reported that the mail agents will be superseded in their duties by the purser of the steamers, who will incorporate the post of mail agent with that of purser.

On looking over an old pile of the *Mail* the other day we observed that the contract to supply ice at present held by the Tudor Ice Company expires in June, 1870, and notice of its cessation continues to be given this month. It will be generally admitted, that ice is par excellence the luxury of the tropics; and whoever may continue to supply it, it is to be hoped that a continuous stock may be made an imperative condition. The Tudor Company appears to have carried out their contract very well, and we believe that arrangements have been made to ensure that there will be no lack of the cooling element during the present summer. We trust that those concerned will see to it that we may never be deprived of an "iced" drink.

TO-day's POLICE.

Mr. May on the Bench.

Very few cases appeared on the sheets, and none of these were of any great interest. Two Chinese were charged with having exposed a sick man, but were remanded until Monday. A Chinese boatman was fined \$10 for playing a boat in the Harbor without a license; and another Chinese for having been found in unlawful possession of a new iron shackle) was sent to hard labor for one month.

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## MISCELLANEOUS.

M. CHEVALIER AT PARIS.—In a recent debate in the French Senate, on armaments, this well-known political economist remarked:—"The disease of overgrowth of armaments was a general one; it was a European disease, and he had no hesitation in regarding it as one of the greatest calamities that had ever afflicted Europe. This was the more to be regretted as that plague of soldiering did not exist in the United States. This reference of M. Chevalier to the Yankees caused a storm. Marshal Canrobert exclaimed, 'The Americans have no neighbours!' Vice Admiral Count Cécille ejaculated: 'They have only the redskins to protect themselves against.' General Mellet shouted, 'They cut their own throats—they fight amongst themselves.' Several senators called out, 'How about the Secession War?' M. Michel Chevalier went on, nothing daunted, and actually in the teeth of what is now going on in the United States asserted, that although there had been a certain amount of antipathy between North and South, yet on being appealed to by their leading men the Americans had suppressed all these antipathies, and they had had the wisdom of establishing friendly relations between the various sections of the great Commonwealth, and they were reaping the healthy fruit which they had sown. So great is the ignorance of American affairs even among senators, that this preposterous statement passed unchallenged.

EQUIVOCAL PREMISES.—It seems to me your letters are not of the same weight, as I have been told by a friend of mine, a baker, as she posed a couple of loaves from his basket: 'do you suppose you can cheat me?' 'I know the loaves were weighed, and one weighs just as much as another, and more too, I dare say, if the truth was known.'

VALUE OF SILENCE.—There are three kinds of silence. Silence from words is good, because it prevents speaking words to evil. Silence from rest from desire and passion, is still better, because it prevents speaking words of spirit. But the best of all is silence from necessary and wandering thoughts, because that is essential to internal reflection, and because it lays a foundation for a proper regulation and silence in other respects.—Madame Guyon.

LOSS OF IDENTITY.—Lady Scott, in one of her novels, tells a touching story of a lady who, being obliged by a sudden alarm of fire to leave her room without having her 'body prepared' as the phrase is, could not be identified by her nearest and dearest friends. Without hair, complexion, teeth, eye-brows, bust, and other artificial continuations and surroundings, she was an absolute stranger to everybody but her maid.

HINDOOS AND MASONRY.—In reply to a letter from a Hindu who wished to become a Mason, the Secretary of the Earl of Mayo writes, 'I am directed by His Excellency Earl of Mayo to say that the fully agreed with the opinion expressed by the Most Worshipful Grand Master (Earl of Zetland) and considers that there is nothing in either the rules or spirit of Freemasonry which prevent persons who do not profess Christianity from being admitted to the order. His Excellency is, however, of opinion that no power is entrusted in any manner to the authorities of the order, or to the lodge, to admit or reject of candidates for initiation.'

In a case in the Bombay Small Cause Court, Mr. F. H. Green, a solicitor, recovered Rs. 630, for damage by white ants and damp to a box of wearing apparel and sundries, which had accented during the time the said box was in detention at the Custom House.

The *Poonah Observer* publishes a long piece of news for Bessie Fluff. The Poonah barbers, we hear, have presented a petition to His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, praying that the officers and soldiers of the Bombay Army may be compelled to shave—as of aforetime.

THE SALTATORY VIRTUES.—Mr. E. H. Palmer confidently announces that he has solved the difficulty of the Sinitic Root Inscriptions. An investigation independent of the results of previous essays, has convinced him that the characters are simply another phase of the Sinitic alphabet which forms the common basis of the Hebrew, Arabic and Greek characters and constitutes an immediate link between the Chinese and the ordinary Hebrew. The inscriptions themselves are detached sentences in a Sinitic or Aramaean dialect, consisting chiefly of proper names and such formulae as oriental people have from time immemorial been accustomed to prefix to their compositions. They are, according to Mr. Palmer, the work of a commercial community who colonized the Peninsula during the first few centuries after the Christian era. Christian and Pagan names appear together, and the period of the inscriptions extend probably into the time of El Lalun.

A MONSTROSITY.—The fabulous sounding account of the birth of a double child, "Cryptodidymus or fetus fetu" by the wife of a herder, in the village of Sultow, near Dinschlag, has been fully attested by the highest medical authority. At a meeting of scientific men held at Danzig, February 17th last, at which there were present more than a hundred medical gentlemen and professors of natural philosophy, the Prussian "Sanitätsrath," Dr. Preuss, from Dinschlag, presented before the faculty the baby-girl, upon whose back there is a swelling which contains a live foetus, whose life and activity increases every day. The swelling is at present four and a half inches long and three and a half inches broad, and has the shape of a pear. The head lays downward to the left, and the buttock upward to the right; the circumference at the place of connection is eight and a half inches. The Doctor gave an extended lecture on this subject before them, and every one present declared that no one of the present generation ever observed any case like it, nor does history furnish a parallel. The helpless little old girl-baby is perfectly healthy and well-formed, and takes its mother's breast cheerfully; the daily increasing abnormal lump apparently causing her no inconvenience.

LOVE AND TIME.—"But father, you know love makes time fly," said an enthusiastic daughter, who was arguing in favour of a longer bridal trip than usual. "Yes, my dear, I know it does at first," replied the old gentleman, "but you'll know that in the end time will make love fly."

The Salt Lake Daily Telegraph invites strangers to visit Utah, catarrhs and apples, and adds, "You need not have more than one wife if you don't want to. There's no compulsion about it."

Moving for a new trial.—Courtier a second wife.

When in Aberdeen, Dr. Johnson dined with a clergyman, the soup being "hot-pot."

The lady of the house, after having served him once, asked if he would take some more. The guest and the hostess, and outspoke special bear replied, "It is a dish for hogs, madam."

"Take a little more, then," was the reply.

A STRANGE story is told respecting a Ritualist curate in a small town thirteen or fourteen miles from Sheffield. The curate is said to have resolved to simulate the death, burial, and resurrection of the Saviour, and ordered a coffin to be got ready for him by Good Friday, expressing his intention to entomb himself from that day until Easter Sunday. The coffin was made of plain deal, with handles of rope, and was sent to the curate's lodgings, where his landlady, on seeing it, immediately fainted.

It was placed in the rev. gentleman's study, and it is said that he invited several friends to visit him during the week preceding Good Friday, but his invitations were generally politely declined. Before the day of entombment arrived the curate heard of the affair, and the coffin was destroyed by his orders, much to the grief of the curate, who, however, declared his intention of procuring another.

"THE Railway King" of 1845.—Mr. George Hudson, once M. P. for Sunderland, and more than once candidate for Whitley—is now said to be living in absolute poverty in a foreign country. It is proposed to commence a public subscription by the view of purchasing a small annuity for him.

THE GERMAN GAMBLING-HOUSES.—It may be interesting to those sanguine persons who are addicted to the elaboration of ingenious systems, by which they hope to attain wealth easily and rapidly at the expense of some German gambling-house, to learn the amount gained by these establishments in the course of the last eight years. According to some calculations which have been sent us by a correspondent, the average winnings of Elms, Baden, Wiesbaden, Homburg, and Naheim have amounted since 1860 to an annual grand total of £17,000,000. Of this sum Homburg, where play goes on all the year round, excepting Sundays and fête days (giving a total of about 3000 play hours per annum), is credited with the largest share. The single zero at roulette gives the bank the certainty in the long run of winning once in 37 coups half the money down. The half refrain at roulette-et-noir tells more against the player. At Elms, where two zeros and a full refrain are in vogue, the advantage of the bank is, of course, doubled. Making due allowance for the possession of capital infinitely greater than that of any single player, and the power of limiting one's losses, the bank is asked to an amount which precludes the possibility of playing on the doubling system, known as a martingale, the advantage of the banks over the player may be stated at 4 per cent. This, by a simple rule-of-three, leads to the startling conclusion that 425,000,000, or £17,000,000 sterling, are yearly staked in German halls, of which sum £680,000 becomes the certain prey of Messrs. Blanc, Benzett, & Co.—Full Mail Gazette.

A NEW USE FOR PHOTOGRAPHY.—The sun has been utilized of late years for the purpose of justice, being made to give evidence of identity in his capacity of portrait-painter. Recently, however, at the antipodes, he has been called in to prove that certain injuries and insults had been inflicted upon a plaintiff in an Australian trial. A respectable gentleman named Black had a dispute with a mining company, claiming known as that of the New York Olmes Company, respecting the title to which there is some dispute. While engaged in marking off a portion of the ground he was seized by a number of ruffians said to be in the employment of the company. These men stripped him, bound him hand and foot, and smashed his body over with hot tar. They would also have footed him, according to the recognised custom in such cases, but for a trifling deficiency—they had no leathers. However, not to deprive the ceremony of its liveliest feature, they looked about for a substitute for leathers, and wool and whatever other rubbish of a similar kind came to hand, were used. It might have been supposed that when Mr. Black escaped from the hands of his tormentors his first thought would be to rid himself of his unpleasant adornments. Mr. Black, however, preferring to go at once and have his photograph taken, not for the detection of his friends, but for the discomfiture of his enemies. Accordingly the narrative relates that "the first step taken by Mr. Black after his escape was that of securing a reputable evidence of the brutal behaviour of his tormentors in the shape of a photograph of himself in his costume of tar and feathers, or rather tar and sticks." That done, Mr. Black instructed his solicitors to take legal proceedings against the mining company, laying the damages at £2,000. If the hint given in this narrative is taken, we may expect shortly to see our photographers, no longer confining their attention to commonplace sittings, but addressing the injured and complaining, those who have been subjected to assault and battery, have been injured in railway accidents, or through some such cause have occasion to establish a claim for compensation. 'Bruises beautifully rendered,' 'Black eyes correctly copied,' such are the promises we may look for, if Mr. Black's suggestive course should have imitators in England.

SWORD A PET.—A correspondent writing from H. Petrusburg says:—"A curious incident took place shortly before the Grand Duke Nicholas's departure for the Caucasus. The editor of the *Novaya Vrainaya* published certain reflections on the military, which offended the officers of the Chevalier Guards to such a degree that they determined to allow their resentment, and deputed one of their number to challenge the slanderer to single combat. The fencing-master accepted the challenge, nothing loth, but insisted that there should be but one pistol provided, for which the two combatants were to cast lots, and that they should be posted at a distance of five paces apart from each other. The officer was at first inclined to refuse, but was overruled by his comrades, and passed three miserable days, eating nothing, until the affair came to the ears of the Grand Duke, who quickly put a stop to the whole business, and what is more, compelled the fighting journal to publish an abject apology in the columns of his own paper.

POINTS DISMISSAL.—A country paper says that the other day an Irishman was called up in a case of assault and battery, and when asked by the Magistrate what he said, remarked, "I said to him wid de toe of my boot, 'Go home!'"

A LARGER CAVE.—A correspondent of the San Francisco Bulletin says:—"From John M. Murphy, Esq., Recorder of the Patterson District, I obtain some very interesting facts in regard to the rival of Kentucky's great natural wonder, the Mammoth Cave of Nevada. This cave is situated in the gorge of the Buckskin or White Mountain Range, and about twenty miles this side of Patterson, or fifty miles from Treasure City. The entrance is on the south side of an isolated butte or *hacacho* and near its base. The opening is so low that a man must stoop to enter it, but twenty feet in the vault in the limestone it widens rapidly, turning towards the east, and you pass through chamber after chamber of immense proportions, some of them of such vast height that the light of torches fail to show any sign of a roof. Mr. Murphy, with a party, penetrated 5,000 feet from the entrance—nearly a mile—and found no end. They saw many chambers in which immense tongues of limestone hung from the roof,



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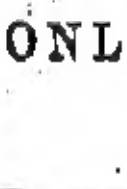
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Santa Ana	W Gavito	Span. sh.	402	May 15	Remedios & Co.		
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Singapore	W Comfurius	Dut. bk.	303	June 1	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Sophie Helene	K Petelike	N. Ger. bk.	330	June 10	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.		
St. Germaine	W Bullier	Feh. bk.	330	June 11	Landstein & Co.		
Sword Fish	W Moller	Siam. sh.	575	May 24	Chinese		
Union	W Birkshaw	Brit. bk.	361	May 7	Rozario & Co.	Melb. & Sydney	Early

## WHAMPOA.

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Belted Will	Locke	Brit. sh.	812	May 30	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	London	
Douglas Castle	McRitchie	Brit. sh.	672	June 10	Gibb & Co.	London	
Gazelle	Green	N. Ger. bk.	193	June 5	Carlowitz & Co.	Tientsin	
Odense	Baisen	Dan. sch.	241	June 6	John Burd & Co.		
Reyna	Barredo	Span. str.	200	April 21	Remedios & Co.		

## VESSELS ON THE BERTH.

Destination.	Vessel's Name.	Flag & Rig.	Consignees.
<b>CHINA &amp; JAPAN PORTS.</b>			
EAST COAST	Yesso	Brit. str.	Douglas Lapraik & Co.
Do.	Formosa	Brit. str.	P. & O. S. N. Co.
SHANGHAI	U. Service	Brit. str.	Wm. Pustau & Co.
TIENSIN	Gazelle*	N. Ger. bk.	Carlowitz & Co.
Do.	Odense*	Dan. sch.	John Burd & Co.
Do.	Ellen Morris	Brit. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
YOKOHAMA	Courier	Brit. bk.	Landstein & Co.
Do.	Emulation	Brit. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
Do.	Carl Ritter	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
Do.	Chin Chin	Brit. bk.	Order
NEWCHWANG	Marie	N. Ger. bk.	E. Schellhass & Co.
Do.	Martha	N. Ger. bk.	Melchers & Co.
<b>OTHER PORTS.</b>			
YOKOHAMA & S. F. C. S. CO.	Japan	Amer. str.	P. M. S. S. Co.
LONDON	Belted Will*	Brit. sh.	Douglas Lapraik & Co.
Do.	D. Castle*	Brit. sh.	Stilman & Co.
SAN FRANCISCO	National Eagle	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co.
Do.	Malay	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co.
Do.	Edna	N. Ger. bk.	Russell & Co.
Do.	Mary	Amer. sh.	A. Heard & Co.
Do.	Akbar	Brit. bk.	Rozario & Co.
MELBOURNE & SYDNEY	Union	Dut. bk.	Russell & Co.
SYDNEY	Constance	Brit. bk.	Russell & Co.
PORTLAND	Andreas	N. Ger. bk.	Russell & Co.
CAICUTTA, &c.	Lightning	Brit. str.	Gibb, Livingston & Co.
SAIGON	Maria Miles	N. Ger. bk.	Bourjau, Hubener & Co.
Do.	Frya	N. Ger. bk.	Siemens & Co.
MANILA	Formosa	mer. sh.	Tudor Company
Do.	Carin	Brit. sh.	Jardine, Matheson & Co.
Do.	Santa Ana	Span. bk.	Remedios & Co.
Do.	Cintia	Port. bk.	Wahes, Smith & Co.

\*At Whampoa.

†At Canton.

## MEN-OF-WAR IN HONGKONG HARBOUR.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Officer.	Commander.
Archduke Frederick	Aust.	corvette	16		Chevalier de Pitter
Argus	British	steam sloop	6300		Hallowes
Bouncer	British	gun boat	230	3	Rodney Lloyd, Lieut. Comr.
Bustard	British	gun boat	232	3	C. F. W. Johnson
Donau	Austrian	corvette	1960	16	Baron Anton Petz, Admiral
Flamer	British	Naval hospital	230		Attached to Melville
Janus	British	gun boat	230		In ordinary.
June	British	steam sloop	1464	4	Edward Harding
Mecanee	British	Military h'pital	2501		Hospital ship
Melville	British	Naval hospital	2442	14	R. Pottinger, Dep. Insp. G.I.
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	2442	14	Oliver J. Jones, Commodore
Unadilla	U. States	gun boat	500	4	A. E. Yates

## CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Officer.	Commander.
An-lan	Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Godall
Chen-to	Chinese	gun vessel	221	7	Edwards
Ching-ting	Chinese	gun boat	221	7	Bessard
Chin-hai	Chinese	gun boat	221	7	Deine
Fel-loong	Chinese	gun boat	221	7	Francis
Sui-ting	Chinese	gun boat	221	7	Pointer
Tien-po	Chinese	gun boat	221	7	Stewart

## HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON.

## RIVER STEAMERS.

Vessel.	Flag.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
Dragon	British	117	Stephenson	P. & O. S. N. Co.
Fame, (110 h. power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
King Dart	Do.	380	Carrol	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Kiu Kiang	Do.	417	Cary	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Little Orphan	Do.	60	Benning	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Poyang	Do.	379	Thebaud	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Prince Albert	Do.	180	Q. Achong	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101	Q. Achong	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co.
Spec	Do.	101	Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co.
White Cloud	British	280		H. & W. Dock Company's Tug

## RECEIVING SHIPS &amp; HULKS.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Chase	P. M.	ship	283	Mason	Harbour Master (Gunpowder)
Fort William	British	ship	1000	Purchase	P. & O. S. N. Co.
John Adam	British	barque	318	Dennis Daly	Water Police
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